

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This case has been reviewed and analyzed in view of the Official Action dated 27 September 2004. In the Official Action, the Examiner has found ten inventions, namely Species I directed to Fig. 1 drawn to a network system; Species II directed to Fig. 7 drawn to a video encoder; Species III directed to Fig. 8 drawn to a predictive-coded video object plane (P-VOP) encoder; Species IV directed to Fig. 9 drawn to encoding a portion of a video bitstream to include a redundant motion vector; Species V directed to Fig. 10 drawn to optionally encoding a portion of a video bitstream with sequential intra-frames; Species VI directed to Fig. 11 drawn to optionally encoding a portion of a video bitstream to include a redundant motion vector that can be referenced to a selected previous frame; Species VII directed to Fig. 13 drawn to a video decoder; Species VIII directed to Fig. 14 drawn to a predictive-coded video object plane (P-VOP) decoder; Species IX directed to Fig. 15 drawn to decoding a portion of a video bitstream encoded with redundant motion vectors, where the process uses a redundant motion vector as a backup to a standard motion vector; and Species X directed to Figs. 16A-16B drawn to decoding a video bitstream encoded with redundant motion vectors, where the process uses redundant motion vectors as a backup to a standard motion vector or in response to a high error estimate. The Examiner has required that Applicant choose one Species for further prosecution in this case.

By this Amendment and Response, Applicant has elected Species II directed to Fig. 7. Applicant further believes that Claims 1-11 and 22-34 read on Species II.

Further by this Amendment and Response, Applicant has canceled Claims 12-21.

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It is now believed that the subject Patent Application has been placed in condition for examination, and such action is respectfully requested.

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